The Standard.

RALEIGH. WEDNESDAY, JAN. 18, 1854.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION. The members of the Democratic Executive Committee for the State, are requested to meet in the

City of Raleigh on Friday the 20th of January next, on business of importance to the party. A. RENCHER, Chairman,

December 21st, 1853.

FORSYTHE LEADS THE COLUMN!

It will be seen, by the proceedings in another colmm, that the sterling Democrats of Forsythe County have been the first to hold a meeting preparatory to the approaching campaign. We trust other Counties will at once imitate this example, and that, in the language of a Forsythe friend, "every County in the State will be represented in the Convention.

The opposition, it is obvious, are counting on success, not so much as the result of their own intrinsic strength as on account of Democratic feuds and divisions. Shall we gratify them? Is there a Democrat in the State who is ready, by reason of slight disappointment, or immaterial differences of opinion, or personal feeling, to contribute to the defeat of those noble principles so gloriously vindicated in the election of Gen. Pierce, and under whose influences North Carolina is now making such rapid strides to prosperity and greatness? Is there a man among us, claiming to be a Jackson, or a Polk, or a Calhoun Democrat, who would dash our banner to the earth, and see it trampled on by the foe? We cannot believe it. The time is hard by when the people will know, and know surely, who it is they may; trust and cling to, and who they should honor and promote in subsequent struggles-the people, whom neither the arts of the demagogue nor the blandishments of power can flatter or seduce, and whose judgment is, after all, as just as it is final in regard to public men.

The Democratic State Committee will assemble in this City on Friday next, to designate the day for the meeting of the State Convention. We trust their action will be responded to in such a manner as will at once convince the adversary that he has nothing to hope from divisions among ourselves.

Forsythe leads the column! She is worthy in name and in deed to do this; but what say Nash, and Edgecombe, and Warren, and Granville, and Franklin, and Johnston, and Wayne, and New Hanover, and Beaufort, and Lincoln, Catawba, Gaston, Burke, Mecklenburg-what say all to this call from Forsythe? Buncombe is getting ready, as we observe by a notice in the News. We hope to see the West here in full force; the East, we are sure sure, will not hold back.

The last Salisbury Banner has the following timely and excellent remarks on the subject :

"To DEMOCRATS. We would urge upon our Democratic brethren, throughout the State, the importance of prompt and decided action in reference to the coming contest for Governor and members of the Legislature. The Whig Convention will meet on the 21st of February, and the Democratic Convention will no doubt meet at as early a day as convenient; and both parties will have their champions in the field earlier than usual. We trust that every county in the State will be represented in the Democratic Convention; and we will not permit ourself to doubt that a candidate will be selected acceptable to all.

We would also warn our party friends, especially in counties largely Democratic, against divisions in their ranks, and against running too many candidates. Our opponents are wily and vigilant, and always ready to take advantage of any such state of affairs, and slip in one of their own number. Organization is necessary to the success of any party; and with proper organization we feel confident that the Democrats of North Carolina can elect their Governor, and secure a majority in the next Legislature. United action is all that is necessary to insure another victory, and with it the reforms, and that freedom and prosperity, which we cannot expect from a Whig administration. The next Legislature will have to elect two U. S. Senators, and we are confident there is no good Democrat in the State that will not exert himself to secure the election of two good Democrats, who will sustain the present naional administration."

DEMOCRATIC MEETING IN FORSYTHE.

At a meeting of the Democracy of Forsythe County, held in Winston, on Wednesday the 21st of December, it being County Court; on motion of P Barrow, Esq., John E. Clayton, Esq., was requested to act as Chairman, and J. M. Stafford, Esq., to act as Secretary of the meeting. The Chairman having explained the object of the meeting the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, The time is fast approaching when it will become necessary to select a standard-bearer to unfurl the flag, and advocate the eternal principles of Democracy in the ensuing campaign for Governor; And, as victory is the reward of untiring vigilance and industry, we deem it necessary that the Democracy in every part of the State be fully aroused and thoroughly organized, ready to enter the coming campaign with an undivided front. And, as we believe that this desirable object cannot, in any other way, be so fully attained as by the holding of a Democtatic State Convention, composed of delegates from crery County in the State; therefore,

Resolved, That the Democracy of Forsythe Couny approve of the proposition to hold a Democratic State Convention in the City of Raleigh for the purpose of selecting a Democratic candidate to occupy the Gubernatorial Chair of the State during the next

Resolved, That the Chairman of this meeting appoint twenty delegates to represent Forsythe County in the said Convention; and as no definite time has, as yet, been fixed upon for the meeting of the Convention, that the delegates appointed by this meeting be instructed to attend at whatever time may hereafter be agreed upon for the meeting of

The Chairman appointed the following gentlemen as delegates, viz: Col. J. A. Waugh, Col. Henry Marshall, Allen Flynt, A. M. Gamble, Esq., E. R. oss, Wm. Barrow, R. Church, John Masten, Esq., Dr. J. W. Hunter, N. D. Sullivan, A. V. Sullivan, Esq., A. E. Conrad, Esq., Solo. Long, Oxestes Keehln, P. T. Shultz, Esq., Milton II. Linville, Esq., Coleman Ziglar, Elijah B. Teague, Esq., J. H. Hester, and R.

On motion the Chairman and Secretary were added On motion the Secretary was requested to forward copy of these proceedings to the North Carolina

On motion the meeting adjourned.

JOHN E. CLAYTON, Chm'n.

J. M. STAFFORD, Sec'y. WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT.

We continue to receive, from all portions of the State, the most gratifying assurances of Democratic support and confidence. A friend, for example, who writes from Northampton and sends us five new subscribers with the cash, says:

"Northampton County is upon the right track—the one she occupied in the days of Jackson. So long as you continue to advocate Democratic princi-ples, make war upon Whiggery, and discountenance faction and disorganization in every shape, so long will you meet with warm support from Northamp-

We are under obligations to E. Roper, Esq., of Abbott's Creek, Davidson, for a club of six subscribers, with the cash.

Read the interresting letter of our Washington Correspondent

POINTS FOR OUR NEXT. We shall take occasion, in our issues of Saturday and Wednesday next—as we are pressed for room to-day-to submit some observations on the points following, to-wit:

1st. The Guilford Resolutions, the Greensborough Patriot and Mr. Rayner's Hertford Resolutions included. We hope to treat our readers to some very striking "lights and shades."

2d. The Register generally, and especially his injustice towards Judge Douglas on the Nebraska question. Also, the Register's "British practices." 3d. The important movement by Mr. Clingman for

a credit on duties on Railroad iron, with some reflec-

tions on Federal policy in relation to protection. We shall also deem it advisable, in all probability, to make a few remarks ere long by way of reply to the Raleigh Star. We are a little troubled to know whether the Editor is striving to be witty, or humorous, or ironical, or only funny. If he propo ses to circulate in either of these channels, or in all of them, it is time the public knew it. We trust he

will at once "define his position."

The last Favetteville Carolinian says: "We have received the first number of the "North Carolina Statesman," printed at Raleigh, and edited by Edward Cantwell, Esq. Mr. Cantwell is a gentleman of elegant scholarship and fine talents. The Statesman is the organ of those who contend that the public lands ought to be divided among the States. The causes which led to the establishment of this paper are briefly these: In the late Congressional canvass in the Wake District, Hon. A. W. Venable, who favors a distribution of the public lands, was defeated mainly through the instrumentality of the Raleigh Standard. The course of the Standard in that matter met our hearty approbation, and we believe the approbation of the great body of the democratic party throughout the State. Mr. Venable had voted for Bennett's Land Distribution Bill-a measure wrong in policy and thoroughly unequal and unjust in its operation. By this vote he had placed himself in direct antagonism to the principles of the democratic party. Under these circumstances the Standard could not consistently, with a sense of party obligation, support him. Mr. Venable was in consequence defeated. Soon after, the project of establishing a paper at Raleigh (advocating Mr. Venable's views on the question of the public lands) was started. The result is the N, C. Statesman. Under almost any other circumstances we would welcome the Statesman as a new and able ally in the cause of democracy. Under existing circumstances we can only wish Mr. Cantwell pecuniary success. His paper will no doubt be able and interesting. The more reason is there that the democracy should be on

Has or has not Mr. W. S. Ashe, a member of the Federal Congress, written to the Editor of the "North Carolina Standard," to request that the subject of Carolina? Has not he alone, or with another member of the Federal Government, intimated that such a course would meet the approval of the Administration, and a copy of that letter and the correspondence. Whether this letter has or has not affected the course which his own judgment approves with reference to the "Statesman?" N. C. Statesman.

their guard against its errors of doctrine."

The Editor of the Statesman has been misinformed We have received no letter from Mr. Ashe, and no intimation either from him or from any one for him, that the "subject of the public lands should not be agitated in North Carolina." The first query being answered thus, of course the other two fall to the

We deny the right of the Editor to interrogate us in relation to our private correspondence; still, to prevent misconstruction, we have replied to him.

Again: The Statesman claims for Duncan K. Mc-Rae, Esq., Consul at Paris, the "honor" and the "benefits" of having moved first in this State for some "remedy for the unjust and unequal donation" of lands to particular States; and insists, by way of sustaining its own position, that Mr. McRae was in favor of dividing the lands or their proceeds, provided the system of squandering the lands on the new States could not be arrested. This was, in substance, Mr. McRae's position, as it was the position of some other Democrats in this State; but without going into an argument on the subject, or even a full explanation, we take occasion to add that we have recent assurances from Mr. McRae to the effect that he is satisfied, from the message of President Pierce, that this system of squandering will be arrested; he concurs substantially with the President in his views on the question; and he has authorized us to say for him, in plain terms, that he should regret to see his name used in connection with this question in a manner to divide or embarrass the Democratic party of North Carolina.

CITY ELECTION.

At an election held in this City, on Monday last, for Intendant and seven Commissioners, W. Dallas Haywood, Esq., was chosen Intendant without opposition, and Messrs. E. Smith, Dr. Wm. H. McKee, Se ton Gales, C. B. Root, Isaac Procter, S. W. Whiting, and A. M. Gorman, Commissioners. The following is the vote:

EASTERN WARD. Eldredge Smith 58 votes; Dr. W. H. McKee 54; M. B. Royster 51; Gen. R. W. Haywood 49.

MIDDLE WARD. Seaton Gales 48 votes; C. B. Root 48; Isaac Procter 45; E. P. Guion 20; P. F. Pescud 19; Ira Beck-

WESTERN WARD. A. M. Gorman 49 votes; S. W. Whiting 47; L. O. B. Branch 46; Dr. J. J. W. Tucker 43.

MURDER.

We learn that a foul murder was committed in this County, on Saturday evening last, upon the body of one Napoleon Blake. It seems that Landy Tippett. a cripple, and some of the Keiths, with a man named Fowler, were at the shop of John Rosemond, some four miles west of this place, when the deceased came up. Tippett dropped his crutches and collared him, and Eaton Keith struck him several times with his fist, and then dealt him a blow on the head with one of the crutches, which caused his death. Blak died on Sunday morning. Fowler, it is stated, held Keith for a while, and endeavored to prevent the act. We learn that Keith and Tippett have surrendered themselves, and are now in iail.

1st. Is it [the Standard] for or against the policy declared by the Democratic party of North Carolina, in the passage of Bynum's Resolutions?

2d. Is it for or against the settled poncy of the Federal government with reference to Internal Im-

provements in the New States, and not in the Old

N. C. Statesman. For our opinions on these questions we refer the Statesman" to the Baltimore platform, to the State Resolution of the Democratic party in 1852, which the Editor of that paper supported in Convention; and to the columns of the "North Carolina Standard" for years past. We thought the Editor was acquainted with our opinions on these questions, inasmuch as he has been, according to his own statement a constant reader of the Standard for years. NOTICES OF NEW BOOKS.

A visit to Europe in 1851, by Prof. Benjamin Silliman, of Yale College, in two volumes, with illustrations-New York, G. P. Putnam & Co. 1854.

In these sightly volumes from the press of Putnam, & Co., are recorded the travels of the veteran tourist and venerable Professor, during his second visit to Europe. Between the commencement of the former tour, in April, 1805, and that of the present one, in March 1851, nearly forty-six years had elapsed, covering a period as interesting and eventful as any in the modern history of the world. The party that accompanied him was composed of young gentlemen (one of them his own son) in all the ardour and energy of youthful enterprize, and of well educated and intelligent young ladies, to cheer and enliven them on their journeying. The venerable Professor, whose years and experience added the balance of caution, served as the trust-worthy Mentor, the prudent and faithful counsellor. There were seven of them in all; and a more agreeable party, a company of more happy and prosperous travellers, protected on the seas and in every country by a kind Providence, and returned to their own land without an hour's interruption by sickness, and without the slightest accident, never met together. If the reader wishes to accompany such a party,and if set out with it, it is almost certain he will feel no disposition to desert in the progress of the journey-he will find it rich in sources of entertainment and instruction. The countries visited were England, Wales, France, Sardinia, Tuscany, Rome and the Roman States, Naples and the Neapolitan States. including Sicily; also, Lombardy and the Venetian States, Switzerland, Geneva and the Alps, and the Jura mountains, Germany, Prussia, Belgium, and again France and England.

These countries, it is true, are familiar to travellers; many Englishmen and Americans have passed over them during the last half century, and they have been often described. Still, to those who remain at home, and can never go abroad themselves, recent parrative and description may have the freshness of novelty. And if the reader will, as we advise him to do, attach himself to this domestic party, he will soon become identified with the travellers, and enjoy with them the beautiful and grand in nature, and gain enlarged and impressive views of the productions of human skill in the useful and ornamental arts. He will accompany them too, at a period most favourable for their safety, progress and observation. The storm of the revolution of 1848 had passed away. Europe was, on its surface at least, in a state of profound tranquility, and no moral or physical impediment interfered with their peaceful wandering. Thus in quiet and at ease they had the opportunity of indulging themselves in whatever couldminister to their improvement and enjoyment; while the wide extended fame of the learned Professor, his acquaintance in person or by correspondence withthe sarans of Europe, and the distinguished consideration with which he was every where received, sccured for them facilities of access to individuals and the objects visited, which might not otherwise have been obtained. The sublime and beautiful in nature; the monuments of antiquity; the places rendered memorable by historical events, or by physical catastrophes; galleries of the fine arts; collections in natural history; the triumphs of architecture and engineering; establishments of physical science and of the useful arts; eminent individuals, and the face of human society; -these things presented ever recurring sources of contemplation that were never

If the reader is startled by no perilous adventures, nor hair-breadth escapes from dangers encountered by the party, he will find what is far more valuable. in the accurate and graphic descriptions of the things which they saw and the persons with whom they had intercourse. Or if he should not be charmed by the graces of a flowing style or the fascinations of romance, he will be more than compensated by the faithful narrative, the compactness of thought, and the fullness, correctness, and enlargedness of the information imparted. We know of no book of travels from which so much important knowledge may be obtained. For sale by Pomerov.

We published, a few weeks since, a marriage notice, which turns out to be false-William Pollok, Esq., Sheriff of Jones County, to Mrs. Olly Harper. We have the letter containing this notice, dated Richlands, Onslow, Dec. 18, 1853, and signed J. S.

Mr. Pollok is a gentleman of much respectability, and a married man. We have known him many years as an esteemed friend, and we regret that our paper has been made the medium for such a publication. We are confident it is not necessary that we should assure him that we regarded the notice as true; if we had entertained the slightest doubt on the subject, it would not have been published. As for the scoundrel who has thus trifled with the feelings of those concerned, all we have to say is, that though he may not be chased up and exposed, still he will live on in the consciousness of having performed a mean act—an act alike silly and cowardly, as well as mean.

The press is strict in its rules in relation to the publication of marriages and deaths; it uniformly requires the name of some person with the notice, but there are cases in which, after the utmost care, the Editor is imposed upon.

Whether he [the Standard] knows if the members of the Federal Government are engaged in any other interferences with the politics of this State?

N. C. Statesman We know of no interference with the politics of this State by members of the federal government, except that of one Cooke, who holds a subordinate place in one of the departments at Washington, and who undertook in the late campaign in this District to dictate to the people thereof to vote for Mr. A. W. Venable. Mr. Cooke, we believe-for we do not charge our memory particularly with such concerns -issued a "proclamation" on the subject, which Eastern Satrap, that, he having dined, all the rest of creation might go to dinner.

We should be as prompt as any one to resent such "interferences"; and we undertake to say that if Mr. Cooke should repeat his interesting efforts in this respect, he will be duly invited to retire to the shades of private life.

We have looked through and through the Standard's notice of this paper for the point, or points, it makes. We are unable to make head or tail of it.

N. C. Statesman. The above is most probably se, inasmuch as our notice of the Statesman was made up almost entirely of extracts from that paper.

Mississippi Senator. Washington, Jan. 18. A private dispatch re-ceived this morning, states that Jefferson Davis is elected Senator from Mississippi. Mr. Foote has gone to California: Wonder when he's " coming back again ?"

TERRIBLE NEWS OF THE STEAMSHIP SAN FRANCISCO.

Two Hundred and Forty Passengers Washed Over-board and Drowned—Col. Washington, Major Taylor and Wife, Capt. Field and Lt. Smith, among the Lost—Also, Two Ladies, Three Chil-dren and 150 U.S. Troops—Arrival of 230 Sur-vivors, Officers and Others Saved—Three Vessels Rescuing Them Scence on Board the Steamer Her Final Wreck, &c.

New York, Jan. 13. The barque Three Bells rrived here this afternoon, bringing the astounding news of the steamer San Francisco having foundered at sea, and that two hundred and forty of those on board have perished.

The Three Bells brings two hundred and thirty of those on board the steamer. The barque Keity, of Boston, has also some of the saved, and others are on board the ship Antartic, bound to Liverpock. The captain and crew were saved.

SECOND DISPATCH. The San Francisco was canght in a gale on the night of the 24th of December, and disabled. Soon after a heavy sea swept the decks, washing overboard 240 of the passengers, including Col. J. B. Washington, Lt. Smith, Capt. H. B. Field, Maj. Taylor and wife. She drifted about till January 5th when she was fallen in with in lat. 38, long. 50, by the ship Three Bells, from Glasgow, barque Kely, for Boston, and ship Antartic, for Liverpool, hich vessels took off the captain, crew and remaining passengers. G. W. Aspinwall is on board the barque Kelly. The Three Bells brings in 230 passengers from the steamer.

THIRD DISPATCH. It seems that the San Francisco foundered after her passengers were taken off. Among those who arrived here to-day in the ship Three Bells were Major Weyse and Lieut. Winder. Others, includng Col. Oates, Major Merchant, Col. Burke, Capt. Judd, Lieut. Fremont, Lieut. Loeser, Lieut. Van Voort, and all the ladies, except the unfortunate Mrs. Taylor, are on board the brig Kelly, bound to Boston, Lieut, C. S. Winder and Lieut, Chandler are on board the ship Atlantic bound to Liverpool. All the troops were divided amongst the three ves-

FOURTH DISPATCE.

All the spars and sails of the steamer were blown away on the 24th. At 1 A. M. on the 25th, the engine stopped, the piston rod breaking off, leaving the vessel totally unmanageable, the sea striking her tremenduous blows under the guards, tearing up the planking fore and aft on both sides, at the same time the vessel began to make water, when the

troops were organised into bailing gangs. At 9 o'clock on the 25th the sea struck her amidships, carrying away both the smoke stacks, all the upper saloon, staving the quarter deck through and washing overboard a large number of passengers, including, besides those previously mentioned, two adies, (names unknown,) three civilians, (also unknown,) and 150 U.S. troops; at the same time Brooks, a waiter, the barber of the boat, and the carpenter's brother, named Duckett were killed.

On the 27th, she spoke the bark Kelty, of Boston, from New York, who lay by her till 3, P. M., on the 29th, when they commenced putting the passengers on board the bark. Upwards of one hundred men, women and children were got on board, including the officers before reported, with their families, Capt. Judd and wife, Lieut. Fremont and family, G. W. Aspinwall and S. L. Graham. At night, the wind increasing, with a squally appearance, the Kelty let go her hawser, and was not seen after-

The gale continued throughout the 30th and 31st, a large number of men being sick and in a dying condition. On the morning of the 1st instant the ship Three Bells came in sight and laid by till the 3d, when her boat came alongside. On the same day the ship Antartic, from New York for Liverpool, bore down for her, and both vessels on Wednesday commenced taking off passengers, provisions and water, and by sunset on the 4th had all on board. The next morning they took off the crew and officers, Capt. Watkins being the last man to leave the San Francisco. The Three Bells brings 230 souls. There were 11 deaths among the crew of the steamer from the time she was disabled to the 8th, including two who were washed overboard. FIFTH DISPATCH.

It is said that, after all had left, the San Francisco was scuttled and sunk.

ARRIVAL OF THE BALTIC.

Lord Palmerston still in office—Two Turkish Villa-ges Destroyed by the Russian Fleet—The Peace Project-Declaration of War against Turkey by Persia-State of the Markets, &c.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12. The steamer Baltic has arrived, bringing Liverpool dates of Dec. 28th, and 84 passengers. The Europa arrived out on the 26th. There was little news, on account of the Christmas holidays. The difficulty in the British Cabinet

has been patched up, and Lord Palmerston retains his office. The rumored return of Lord Palmerston to office has caused a fall in the French funds. Paris, Dec. 28. The three per cent closed at 74

francs; four and a halves, 101 fr. EASTERN AFFAIRS. It is rumored, but disbelieved strongly, that the Porte will consent to resume negotiations. The London Times has the following dispatch,

dated Vienna, Wednesday evening: "The Russian Steamer Pruth has set two Turkish villages on fire by throwing red hot balls," Constantinople, Dec. 19th. Negotiations on the

Peace project has been resumed, and the Porte manifests a pacific disposition. The allid fleets are still St. Petersburg. The only indications of anticipated war are a rise in the prices of some articles. A violent tempest had occurred in the Black Sca,

and 80 merchant vessels had been lost. The whole Russian fleet had left Sinope, after stayng two days to repair. It was reported that Cassadan Pasha had been dismissed for neglecting his duties at Sinope.

War had been officially declared by Persia against

SWEDEN AND DENMARK. Berlin, Dec. 24.-Negotiations are pending between Sweden and Den-mark, having for their object the conclusion of a

league, offensive and defensive, between the two MARKETS.-Lirerpool, Dec. 20. Cotton continues firm. Sale yesterday of 6,000 bales, 1,000 on speculation at 61d. for fair Orleans; 6d. for middling;

61d. for fair Mobile, 51d. for middling; 61d. for fair Upland; 51d. for middling; ordinary 41 a 51d. Breadstuffs closed with an active demand at advancing rates. Brown & Shipley on Tuesday quote Western Canal Flour at 37s. a 37s. 6d.; Baltimore, Philadelphia and Ohio 37s. 6d. a 38s.; Genesee 38s. a 34s. 6d. Wheat was in good request at 10s. 4d. for red. The better qualities of Corn were dearer white 47s. yellow 46s. Another circular quotes

white Wheat 11s. 1d.; white Corn 47s.; yellow 46s. McHenry quotes Pork dull. Beef gone into the hands of speculators at a considerable decline. Operations in Bacon checked by high prices. Cheese wanted. Lard steady at 50s. Tallow firm. Bark

Breadstuffs very strong, and over-due vossels will meet with a good market. Nothing will be done in Naval Stores till Jan. 2.

News from the Seat of War-Persia actively Assisting the Russians-Loss at Sinope-Murkets. New York, Jan. 13th. By the overland India mail we learn that the Shah of Persia has left Tehesan with 30,000 cavalry, a thousand canon (?) and three thousand camel-loads of ammunition to co-operate with Russia. The Shah was influencing Dost Mahommed to

ide with Persia and Russia It is stated positively that the Jagondib, a Russian 90 gun ship, was destroyed in the battle of Sinope. Being attacked by a Turkish frigate both blew up. The Turkish admiral and a aid de camp have died of their wounds, and Osman Pacha has had his leg amputated; he lies in a dangerous condition.

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The Turkish loss in the battle of Sinope is estimamated at twenty millions of piastres. Russis has made two levies of recruits in Poland. The European residents at Smyrns have contributed 200,000 francs to furnish the volunteers in the Turkish army.

Liverpool. On Wednesday the sales of Cotton were 7000 bales at firm rates.

Ngw Yosk. Flour has advanced from 6 to 12 ots.

Corn has advanced four and wheat two cents per bushe!

LIFE AND DEATH. "What is Life, Father ?"

Where the strongest lance may fail,
Where the wariest eyes may be beguiled,
And the stoutest heart may quait.
Where the foes are gathered on every hand And rest not day nor night, And the feeble little ones must stand In the thickest of the fight."

"What is Death, Father?" "The rest, my child,
When the strife and the toil are o'er,
And the angel of God, who calm and mild,
Says we need fight no more;
Who driveth away the demon band,
Bid the din of the battle cease;
Takes the barner and green fight.

Takes the banner and spear from our failing hand And proclaims an eternal Peace." Let me die, Father! I tremble-I fear To yield in that horrible strife!"

The crown must be won for Heaven, dear, In the battle-field of life. My child, though thy foes are strong and tried, He loveth the weak and small; The angels of Heaven are on thy side, And God is over us all."

MARRIED.

In this City, on Monday morning last, at 7 o'clock, at the residence of Stephen Birdsall, Esq., W. J. Reynolds, Esq. of the National Hotel, Va., to Mrs. Frances Matthews. DIED.

At his residence, in Sommerville, Fayette county, Tenn., on the 11th December last, Col. Juel L. Jones, formerly of

this County.

THE MARKETS. FAYETTEVILLE, Jan. 14. The receipts of COTTON small, and sales mostly at 9%. CORN is in good demand at \$1 and upwards. Sales of FLOUR at \$5 50 to \$6-demand good. OATS are in great demand for sowing-some sales as high s 70 cents per bushel from wagons. SPIRITS TURPENTINE 52 to 53 cts. per gallon.

RAW TURPENTINE \$3 25 per barrel. Eatables of all kinds scarce, and commands very high NAVAL STORES. The receipts of TURPENTINE cor tinue very light, and the sales yesterday were only 110 bbls. at \$3 70 for yellow, \$2 96 for virgin, and \$2 20 for hard,

\$280 lbs. There is none offering this morning that we know of, and there is a fair demand for the article at above quotations. In SPIRITS TURPENTINE we note a sale yesterday of 100 bbls. at 58 cents & gallon; we also hear of re-ported sales yesterday of several parcels at same figure, but cannot ascertain the amount—towards the close of the day 58 cents was offered and refused, and holders were firm in asking higher rates. Nothing doing this morning. In TAR we note a decline in price yesterday, with sales of 154 bbls. at \$2 25, and 836 do. at \$2 15 5/bbl.; the market closing at owest figure. No sales in ROSIN.

CORN. The cargo of 2,000 bushels received a day or two since sold yesterday at 77 % cents & bushel. COTTON—Sale yesterday of 25 bales at 8, 9% @ 10 cts. 9 tb., for inferior to good quality. MOLASSES-A cargo of 225 hhds. arrived yesterday

from Cardenas; no sales, TIMBER—Sales of six rafts at \$6, \$7, \$10 @ \$10 50 \$ I., inspection and measurement.

NORPOLK, January 14. BEPORTED FOR THE "NORTH-CAROLINA STANDARD"

BY A. M. M'PHEETERS & Co.,

Wholesale Grocers, Forwarding & Commission Merchants.

No. 6 ROANOKE SQUARE. BEANS—\$11/4 @ 11/4 per bushel.
COTTON—In fair demand, @ 91/4 @ 10 cts. as to quality.
FLOUR—In fair demand—supply about equal to the demand; sales of Family at \$3; Extra \$7 50; S.F. \$7 20; Fair

GROCERIES.—Lag. Coffee 13 cts.; Rio 121/ @ 13; Java 141/ @ 15; Cuba Molasses—25 @ 26 cts; New Orleans 31 @ 32 cts.; Mould Candles 141/ @ 15 cts.; Adamantine Candles 25 @ 27 cents. OATS-38 @ 40 cts. per bushel. PEAS-Few in market, 90 cts. per bushel. NAVAL STORES.—Tar 2½ for Black; 2½ for Bright.

STAVES.—Supply exceedingly light, and find quick sales at 56 for Pipe; \$43 @ 44 for W. O. hhd.; 35 @ 36 for R. Oak; 28 @ 30 for bbl.; and 65 for Heading. WORKMEN WANTED.-THE SUBSCRIBER wishes to employ a PAINTER and TRIMMER on Carriages; also two wood workmen-a Body-Maker and

pirits Turpentine 61 @ 62 cts.

WHEELWRIGHT. The best wages and constant employment will be given. Address the subscriber at Pittsborough, Chatham, N. C. WM. D. KIRKSEY. January 14, 1854.

A CARD.—THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING DETER-MINED to fix his permanent residence in Raleigh, begs leave to offer his services to parents and principals of Schools for teaching Music and the modern languages and for tuning Pianos. As a guarantee of his qualifications he has a diploma from the University of Heidelberg, and testimonials from Oakland College, at Bloomfield, N. J., where he has taught with great success for the last four years; and is permitted to refer those, who would favor him with their patronage to the Rev. Dr. Mason, rector of the Episcopal Church, and to Mr. W. D. Cooke, principal of the Deaf and Dumb Institution.

He is to be found at his residence in the brickhouse of the He is to be found at his residence in the brickhouse of the

North-east corner of the lot owned by Mr. Geo. W. Morde-cai, or at the Store of F. Mahler & Co., on Main street, where any communications to him may be left. Raleigh, January 12, 1854.

CLOTHING AT REDUCED PRICES !-AS we intend leaving for New York on the 15th February for the purpose of superintending the getting up of our Spring and Summer Clothing, we will sell the remainder of our HEAVY WINTER GOODS at greatly reduced prices for CASH.

E. L. HARDING. January 16, 1854.

OST .- ONE PROMISSORY NOTE, made Pavable by R. D. ATKINSON & PHARAOH RICHARD SON to E. P. STEVENS, for Four Hundred and Fifty Dol-'ars, and dated 12th of Nevember, 1853. All persons are hereby forbid to trade for said Note, and the said Atkinson & Richardson are hereby forwarned from paying said Note to any person save myself.

B. R. HINNANT. Smithfield, Jan. 7, 1853.

ARTICLES IN ROSEWOOD, &c.-LONDON-made Portable Desks, for Ladies or Gentlemen, some of which are inlaid with pearl, have secret drawers, and are lined with silk velvet. Our assortment of Deaks is very complete.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Dressing Cases, of Rosewood,

Ebony, &c. plain and furnished, in variety.

Ladies Work Boxes, of French, English and German manufacture, some of which are splendidly furnished, and are very suitable for bridal or other presents. Glove Boxes, of rosewood, ebony, enamelled wood, &c. Odor Boxes, of ebony, rosewood, &c., with bottles com-

Papier Machie Goods, &c. Consisting of Port Folios, Work Boxes, Portable Desks, Tables, Port Monnaies, &c. These Goods are of the very finest quality.

For sale by HENRY D. TURNER,

N. C. Book Store

Raleigh, January 6, 1854.

Tuition from \$7,50 to \$15.

WENTWORTH MALE ACADEMY.—THE
Trustees of this Academy take pleasure in announcing to the public that they have secured the services of Rerus H. Smirn, a gentleman of considerable experience in
teaching and extensively known as a thorough teacher. The
Academy is a fine new building. Wentworth is a remarkably healthy place and happily suited in every respect for the
establishment of a permanent school of high character. The
Spring Session opens on the 1st MONDAY in February.

Board, in good families for a large number of Students at
\$6,00 per month—lights, fuel, washing and servants' hire
included.

Tuition from \$7.50 to \$15.

By order of the Trustees,
JAMES IRVIN, Sec'y
16—4t.

C. UPCHURCH, HAVING PURCHASED the interest of Mr. Holleman in the Grocery Store, on Hargett Street, invites the attention of his friends and the public to his stock. I shall buy and sell all kinds of country produce, and shall omit no pains to accommodate and give good bargains.

Persons indebted to Upchurch & Holleman, will please call and settle with me, as I am fully authorized to close up the business.

W. C. UPCHURCH.

DUNNSVILLE MALE ACADEMY—J. HENRY DUNNSVILLE MALE ACADEMY—J. HENRY NORWOOD, Principal.—The first session of this institution, under the management of the above Principal, will commence on the 2d Monday in January, 1854. Dunnsyille Academy is situated in a moral and healthy neighborhood, in Wake County, North Carolina, nine unless north of Raleigh, on the Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road.

Tuition varying according to studies, from \$7.50 to \$15 per session. Board can be had convenient to the school for \$6 per month. For further particulars address

PETERSON DUNN, Secretary,
Raleigh, N. C.

December 8th, 1858.

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OFFICE OF N. C. R. R. COMPANY,
JANUARY 10th, 254.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPA-NY passed an order for selling the stock of delinquent subscribers, and at Goldsborough and Raleigh the following number of shares subscribed for by the following persons will be sold at auction for cash—provided the instalments and interest shall not be paid up by the time of sale.

To be sold at GOLDSBOROUGH on TUESDAY, 7th of February part, as follows:

February next, as follows: NEWBERN STOCK. SHARES. | Ed. R. Stanley & Co. WILMINGTON STOCK. J. Ballard, N. E. Brickhouse,

2 E. V. Kelly, 1 J. J. Lippett, 5 J. D. Law, 1 Thomas Loring, 1 John L. Meare Berry & Son, M. Crauley, W. Destrae, A. C. Dickinson, Alex. McRae, jr. J. M. Foy, 1 S. N. Martin, 1 N. F. Nixon, 5 J. Northrop, 1 J. R. Resten, A. C. Evans, J. G. Green, William Gilows, E. D. Hall, Julius Scott, T. Southmoy & Co., W. B. Vaun, J. Wilkinson & Co., W. C. Howard

WAYNE COUNTY. 5 C. J. Nelson, To be sold at RALEIGH on FRIDAY, 10th February, as

A. W. Hewlett,

WAKE COUNTY. 1 R. R. Jones,
1 Chas. E. Johnson,
80 John Kane,
1 J. J. Litchford,
1 Jas. Litchford,
1 Patrick McGowan, Jno. Q. Adams, O. L. Burch, Silas Burns & Co., D. K. McRae, 1 Ino. H. Manly, 1 Ino. C. Moore, W. F. Collins, Geo. T. Cook, liver & Proctet, I. G. Owens, W. L. Otev, lenry Porter, W. Peck, Ino. Partridge, las. Puttick, Jas. Dodd, Dan'l Dupree, P. Guion, W. D. Hutchings, P. F. Pescud,
J. B. Root,
W. R. Scott,
T. H. Snow,
R. B. Seawell, E. Heartt, W. H. Holleman D. Haywood

E. Smith,
W. Smith,
L. B. Walker,
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Ed. Yarbrough, Alfred Johnson JOHNSTON COUNTY. SHARES. Jno. B. Beckwith, M. Bradley, Thos. Bagley, H. J. Bell, D. McPherson 1 E. D. Nichols, 1 Calvin Simpkins, Patrick Ferrall, D. H. Holland, 2 A. Saunders, 7 Telfair & Thompso 5 A. G. Thornton

Needham Ingram, J. T. Leach, A. J. Leach, ORANGE COUNTY. R. Blackwall, Thos. B. Bailey, 1 Jas. M. Palmer, 2 Juo. W. Strayborn. 2 July W. Strayhorn,
1 E. M. Scott,
1 W. H. Thompson,
2 Jas. C. Turrentine,
2 Sam'l N. Tate,
1 J. B. Tinney,
1 Elmore Woods,
3 Sam'l B. Woods,
6 William Woods, B. A. Finley, J. W. Hanghawout F. M. Hubbard, Geo. Jackson, W. McCauley, Priestly H. Mangam. PETERSBURG, VA.

SHARES. H. D. Bird, W. R. Drinkard James McIlwain. I will be in Hillsborough, on Saturday the 4th February, o receive instalments. CYRUS P. MENDENHALL. Secretary and Treamit January 16, 1854.

Petersburg Intelligencer, Newbern News, Hillsborough Recorder, Commercial, Journal and Herald Goldsborough Telegraph, and Patriot, publish weekly till sale and send all accounts to Patriot, Greensborough, with authority to settle. GREENSBOROUGH Mutual INSURANCE COMPANY.—The cost of Insurance on the Mutual plan is but a small sum, compared with a joint steek com-

pany. This company being located in the Western part of the State, consequently much the larger portion of the risks are in the West, very many of which are in the country. The Company is entirely free from debt; have made no assessments, and have a very large amount in cash and good bonds, and is therefore confidently recommended to the At the last Annual Meeting the following Officers were

eted for the ensuing year:
JAMES SLOAN, President. S. G. COFFIN, Vice President. C. P. MENDENHALL, Attorney. PETER ADAMS, Secretary and Treasurer.

DIRECTORS: Dr. S. G. COPPIX, Dr. J. A. MEBANE, WILLIAM A. WRIGHT, Wilmington. C. P. MENDENHALL, WM. S. RANKIN, Dr. C. WATKINS JAMES M. GARRETT, Carolina F. College. JOHN I. SHAVER, Salisbury. JED. H. LINDSAY, W. J. McConnell, loun H. Cook, Fayetteville. Greensborough. E. F. LILLY. J. J. Biggs, Wadesborough. W. P. Moore, Raleigb.

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December 12th, 1853. STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA, FRANKLIN COUNTY: Superior Court of Law, Fall Term, A. D. 1853. MARY UPPERMAN vs. JAMES H. UPPERMAN-

Petition for Divorce.—It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that notice has been duly issued to James H. Upperman, to appear at Fall Term of the said Court, A. D. 1853, and by the return of the Sheriff of the County of Franklin aforesaid, that he, the said Sheriff, delivered the said notice at the last residence of the said James H. Upperman, in the County of Franklin aforesaid, in due time; and the said James H. Upperman failing to appear and answer as he was required to do, was solemnly called out on his said notice by the said Sheriff; and it also appearing to the satisfaction of the said Court, that the said James H. Upperman is a non-resident of this State, it is therefore ordered that publiof the said Court, that the said James II. Upperman is a non-resident of this State, it is therefore ordered that publication be made in the North-Carolina Standard and Louisburg News for three months, for James H. Upperman to appear before the Honorable Judge, at the Court to be held for the County of Franklin, at the Court-house, in the town of Louisburg, on the Second Monday after the Fourth Monday in March next, then and there to plead, answer or demur to said Petition, or the same will be taken pro confesso as to him, and tried accordingly.

Witness Rhetorick R. S. Lawrence, Clerk of our said Court, at Office in the Town of Louisburg, the Second Monday after the Fourth Monday in September, A. D. 1853.

R. R. S. LAWRENCE, Clerk Sup. Court.

Jan. 7, 1854. [Pr. adv. §8.] 17—wam.

SO TO 90 NEGROES FOR SALE. HAVING determined to change my residence and pursuits, I will, on TUESDAY, the 21st FEBRUARY ensuing, sell at Public AUCTION, from 80 to 90 Negroes, embracing Men, Women, Boys and Girls. There are among them many valuable House-Servants, Mechanics, and Field-Hands of both sexes. The sale will take place at my residence, Eight Miles West from WARRENTON and Two from RIDGE-WAY DEPOT, on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad, commencing at 1 o'clock, and continuing from day to day till all are sold.

Terms—Credit till the 1st December, 1854, for approved bonds, bearing interest from date. Cash payments allowed if desired by purchasers.

Warren County, N. C., 7th Jan., 1854. 17—iw.

The Raleigh Register, Charleston Courier, Savannah
Republican, Memphis Eagle, New Orleans Picayane, and
Mississippian, Jackson, will please copy the above four

STRAYED FROM THE SUBSCRIBER, LIVINGSeven Niles Southwest form Raleigh, on Thursday,
the 5 h January, one SMALL SORREL HORSE, with
Blaze or White Face, Blind in one eye and some small
White Spots on one side. Was seen last in Raleigh on
same day he left. Any person giving me say information,
so that I can get him again, will be suitably rewarded.

WILLIAM N. HENTER.

January 9th, 1854.

CARDEN AND GRASS SEEDS, FOR 1864.

We The Subscriber has just received his supply of Garden.
Grass and other Seeds for the growth of 1854, of every earlisty. Gardeners and others are requested to make an early call, in order to get whatever kinds they may want. All Seeds warranted to be fresh and genuine.

P. F. PESCHD.

City papers copy.

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DAN RIVER INSTITUTE. THE SPRING SEC SION of this School will commence on the 9th of Jan May. Board can be had from \$6 to \$3 per month. A. C. LINDSEY. Yapoervilles, Dec. 1853.